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Title: <b>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MULTICASTING MULTIMEDIA CONTENT</b>	Craig Plastrik Name  Signature

**PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Office Action dated 12/13/2004 in the above-referenced patent application:

One month to February 13, 2005; Please charge \$ 110.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0383.

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Respectfully Submitted,



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